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## President Speaks At Devotional

### Collections for Campus Chest Go into Third Day Wednesday

Collections for the Campus Chest drive go into their third day Wednesday with no report available yet on totals collected Monday and Tuesday.

This week is the only drive during the year to collect funds for various charities, including polo, cancer, and heart fund. The money will be collected by the Chest Drive committee and submitted for Legislative Council approval.

### Ticket Sales Begin for Charity Dance

Charity Ball tickets will be on sale Wednesday through Friday at the Smith Building and Eyring Science Center lobbies. Robin Brown, Lynbrook, N.Y., chairman, said admission price for Friday night dance is 75 cents for couple.

First "heel and how" dance of the year, the ball is scheduled for Smith Fieldhouse and the Social Hall, 8:30 p.m. Friday.

Queen of the charity ball will be announced during the dance. She will be awarded a trophy for having collected the most money during the week's charity drive.

Decorations for the dance will be around an impressionistic representation of the theme, "Paints Come Marching In," Miss Lynn said. Jerry Koenig, Lynbrook, N.Y., is decorations chairman. He is planning dixieland hotheads for the walls.

Refreshments, a floor-show, and dance programs will be included in admission price. All profits from the dance will go to the Campus Chest fund.

## Late News Flashes

**E.S.T. Says Demos Won't Drop Stevenson**  
NEW YORK (AP)—Former President Harry S. Truman said today there is no basis for a Republican charge that the Democrats may drop Adlai Stevenson as a possible presidential nominee before next year's convention.

Republican National Chairman Leonard Hall said that Stevenson, defeated by President Eisenhower four years ago, "may be unpop in midwestern."

He indicated that he thought Truman, Gov. Averell Harriman of New York and Carmine Desapio, a high Democratic party leader in New York, might be engineering such a plan.

**Eisenhower Signs Reply to Disarmament Proposal**  
DENVER (AP)—President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Acheson Tuesday drew up an "interim reply" to Russian Premier Nikhita Khrushchev's disarmament proposals.

The letter was drafted during a 25-minute conference in Eisenhower's hospital room and was signed almost immediately by the president.

Dulles told a news conference that it would be made public as soon as it has been received in Moscow.

**British Try for Release of 19 Americans by Red China**  
LONDON (AP)—Britain's envoy in Peking has opened new secret talks with Communist China aimed at speeding the release of 19 captive Americans, diplomatic officials reported Tuesday.

As of now, the United States does not know just how many of the captive 19 are under sentence or how many are awaiting trial.

**November Atom Tests Planned**  
WASHINGTON (AP)—A new series of Atomic Energy Commission tests has been scheduled for the Nevada desert about Nov. 1, but this time there may be no atomic explosions.

An AEC announcement Monday indicated the new test series will deal with learning whether atomic weapons can be accidentally detonated by fire or by nearby explosions of bombs or artillery shells.

various charities, including polo, cancer, and heart fund. The money will be collected by the Chest Drive committee and submitted for Legislative Council approval.

Collections will be made as part of the Queen contest, with collection cans mounted on pictures of various candidates. Queens, sponsored by various social units and campus organizations, have set up their posters in the McKay Building, Eyring Science Center, and Smith Building lobby. The candidate receiving highest donations will reign Friday night as queen of the Charity Ball.

Social unit members have been asked to work together to try to personally contact every member of the studentbody.

Last year's drive collected more than \$1,000.

### Campus Students Win Fair Prizes

Two Brigham Young University students have been announced first and second place winners in the Utah State Fair talent show. Joan Naylor, Salt Lake City, garnered first place with Colleen Lawrence, Provo, coming in second. They were entered in the advanced vocal divisions. Both are members of the Majestic Singers.

Last year Miss Naylor also placed in the winners circle. She was named third place winner while a former BYU student, Cheryl Jensen, won first place honors. Miss Jensen is now singing concerts in New York City.



**HAPPY COUPLE**—President and Mrs. David O. McKay pose Tuesday in the George Albert Smith Fieldhouse after the Latter-day Saint leader addressed the Brigham Young University studentbody. Theme of his address was happiness in marriage. The McKays have been married 55 years.

(Photo by Lynn G. Hale)

### Universe Goof...

## 'Utes Did Burn Our Bonfire,' Pep Leader Corrects Story

(Ed. Note: The Universe quoted Tom Jensen, pep activities chairman, Tuesday, as saying that University of Utah students did not burn down the BYU bonfire Thursday night. This statement was erroneous and a highly indignant Tom Jensen has written the letter below to clarify the situation.)

Dear Universe Editor & readers:

After yesterday's misstatement in the Universe and the tremendous response which we had last week for pep activities, we feel obliged to write this letter. First, to correct the misstatement: our bonfire was vengefully burned Thursday night by the University of Utah students, after they thought we had burned theirs (mistakenly, of course).

With both schools starting from scratch on Friday, in five hours we built our pile to 44 feet and 8 inches while the U. of U. with

the aid of a ladder, was able to make theirs 20 feet high.

Of course, everyone knows that our second bonfire, the rally at which 3,000 were in attendance, the 930 that went to Salt Lake on the trail and the tremendous rooting section at the game, could not have been accomplished without everyone's help and cooperation.

Thanks,  
Pep Activities Committee

## Instructor Recovering, Students Still Abed

**H. WAYNE SOFFE**, physical education professor, is recuperating in Salt Lake City Tuesday after Saint Joseph's lung operation suggested by his Mobile Unit chest X-ray.

Soffe was notified last week that his tuberculosis X-ray showed a spot on the lung that was not tuberculosis. He entered the hospital immediately. Doctors have not yet determined the nature of the growth, but reported Soffe is recovering from the operation faster than normal and should be released by the end of the week.

**REPORTS FROM THE CHEST** X-rays taken on campus last spring should not be received by all persons X-rayed, as processing is estimated at about three months.

Two other Brigham Young University students are still in Salt Lake hospitals. Albert Sonberg, Bountiful, is being treated for a condition caused by a kidney ailment, and Robert Espin, Nyssa, Ore., for polio.

**SONBERG'S** condition was reported as "poor, and essentially unchanged," Tuesday afternoon. Earlier in the week hospital officials had told his roommate Sonberg could probably be released by the end of the week. Tuesday afternoon he reported his condition has not changed since the weekend.

Espin has passed the crisis in what has now been identified as bulbar polio, ordinarily the most crippling, his brother, Richard, reported Tuesday.

**HE WAS TAKEN** out of the

## Five Points Stressed In Address

Elder David O. McKay, president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, said 7,500 Brigham Young University students and faculty members of a five-point formula for happy marriage Tuesday during the regular devotional assembly.

His five points included the maintenance of a good reputation, keeping vows made at the altar, control in the home, courtesy, and companionship.

"Behind every man who enjoys public applause, there is a silent companion who is responsible," President McKay said in emphasizing the role of the wife, "and it should be remembered that companionship is the means for perpetuating affection."

In stressing the virtue of chastity, he stated that "there is but one standard of virtue—in the Church of Christ," and added that "The lady does not like to be named to be banded about in a men's bull session."

### Home Control

Control in the home can be maintained by not expressing angry thoughts to the marriage partner, it was related. The church leader cautioned wives and husbands to hold the tongue and go for a walk when angry thoughts cloud the mind.

"Courtship," he continued, "does not end at the altar. It begins there for eternity, and such expressions as 'thank you,' 'if you please,' and 'pardon' are appreciated as much by the wife as by the sweetheart."

President McKay said that the essence of true courtesy is consideration for someone else, and that there is nothing more common to a great man than courtesy and forbearance.

### Autographs

Scores of students surrounded President McKay after the devotional to renew acquaintances and request autographs.

Also present at the assembly was Thomas E. McKay, assistant to the Council of the Twelve, who gave the invocation.

Mrs. David O. McKay told the UNIVERSE that her husband patients what he preaches in regard to marriage. She added that their marriage was the first performed in the Salt Lake Temple during the 20th century, more than 35 years ago.

Iron lung in which he had been placed last week when taken to Salt Lake General Hospital. He is now placed in the lung only occasionally to rest.

Richard reported that the paralysis has left Robert's arms, and that the doctors from their farm regain use of them. He said the upper arms are still very weak.

**ESPIN CANNOT** yet eat or brush his teeth. The aid of his farm inserted in his throat, but his brother reported he can speak.

The Espin's parents arrived Thursday night from their farm in Nyssa, Mrs. Espin plans to stay in Salt Lake during her son's hospitalization and Espin will stay as long as his farm work allows.

Both Robert and Richard are freshmen this year.



## New Sponsor Leader Named; Cadet Promotions Announced

### Cadet Corps

Cadet officer promotions for the Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps Cadets were announced today by Lt. Col. Rulon D. Blake, air science professor.

Cadet Don L. Rogers, Garland, was named Wing Commander with accompanying rank of Cadet Colonel. Cadet Colonel Rogers is a veteran of 45 months active duty in the United States Air Force, enlisting in October, 1950, and receiving his honorable discharge in July, 1954. In June, 1955, Colonel Rogers and Sonya Carlson were married in the Mantle Temple. They now reside with their 18-month old son, Don Lee Jr., at 600 East 1st North.

Other newly appointed cadet officers and their assignments are: Cadet Colonel Dayton D. Wittke,

Toole, deputy wing commander; Cadet Colonel Jay R. Jensen, Senior, commander, Group I; Cadet Colonel Jack Whittle, Provost, commander, Group II; Cadet Lt. Colonel Robert D. Collier, Murphy, wing operations officer; Cadet Lt. Colonel William M. Mackison, Moroni, wing personnel officer; Cadet Lt. Colonel Richard D. Wolfley, Freedom, Wyo., wing material officer; Cadet Lt. Colonel Robert Lundquist, Ogden, wing inspector general; Cadet Lt. Colonel Roger Haglund, Los Angeles, Calif., executive officer, Group I; and Cadet Lt. Colonel Larry M. Stevens, Lovell, Wyo., executive officer, Group II.

### Sponsor Corps

Shirley Bailey, American Fork, has been named new Commandant for the Brigham Young University Sponsor Corps. It was announced today by Lt. Col. Rulon D. Blake, professor of air science.

Miss Bailey entered the Sponsor Corps in September, 1952, and since that time has served as public information officer, executive officer, and in addition acted as accompanist for the Sponsor Chorus in 1952-53. A graduate of American Fork High School and Seminary in 1952, Miss Bailey is now a senior at Brigham Young University with a major in elementary education.

As has been the custom in the BYU Sponsor Corps, the Commandant is free to choose her staff for the coming year. Miss Bailey has announced the following sponsors to her staff for the school year 1955-56:

Promotions were made on the following basis: bearing, carriage, neatness, military courtesy and attitude, knowledge of drill, demonstrated aptitude for military service and command voice, and bearing ability as an instructor and commander.

### Applications Asked

Applications for senior students who wish to fill three positions on the House Council will be accepted until 5 p.m. Friday in the Student Coordinator's office.

## Future Teachers Organize Group; Members Sought

The first meeting of the Future Teachers of America was held Monday evening in the McKay Building, according to Ernest Bennett, president of the newly formed organization. Speaker for the confab was a member of the Utah Educational Association. Plans to attend the Utah Educational Convention Oct. 15, in Salt Lake City were discussed.

An information booth will be placed in the left entrance of the McKay Building during fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh periods for all students interested in FTA.

FTA is a subsidiary of the National Education Association and is an organization designed for those who plan on entering the teaching profession. It is a national organization which brings to its members information on current trends and issues in education, affords opportunities for direct and rich experiences in professional cooperation, and promotes leadership within the framework of the NEA and the state associations. It was reported.

The new BYU chapter was organized last spring quarter under the direction of the College of Education. The new officers are: Bennett; Grant Mabeck, first vice-president; Genevieve Larson, second vice-president; Mary Beth Salmond, secretary; and Jan Bingham, treasurer.

## Touring Irish Play Troupe to Perform 'The Ideal Husband' on BYU Stage

Dublin Players, an acting group from Dublin, Ireland, will present a play by Oscar Wilde as part of the Brigham Young University dramatic offerings this year. Dublin Players will appear Oct. 21 and 22 in Wilde's play, "The Ideal Husband."

The play is a comedy about a politician who faces the problem of paying a blackmail to keep his wife's love and respect. The wife is a moral person and would not approve of her husband's indiscretion. The play involves the man's decision to pay the blackmail, or fight him and confess his sins.

Dublin Players appeared in

Provo last year in George Bernard Shaw's "Pygmalion."

The dramatic troupe are making their fifth consecutive tour of the United States this year. The company was formed by Irish actor, Ronald Rias and his actress wife, Margaret Halligan. Members of the troupe were chosen from the famous Abbey and Gates theatres in Dublin.

The Irish company toured Ireland for two years before presenting their plays for U.S. audiences. The group has been praised for their interpretation of plays by British and Irish authors, George Bernard Shaw, A. A. A. O'Casey, William Yeats, and many others.

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## On the Sideline

by Jack Nelson

Now that the shooting is over, let's take a look. Even though rehashing a football game is kind of like eating warmed over stew, it sometimes helps. To begin with, we don't agree with those people who say our one mistake was in showing up for the Utah game.

First off, the Cougars didn't look bad at all on offense. Plays through the center and around end were working well and blocking, in general, was the best of the year. Ironically, BYU and Utah gained exactly the same net total of 333 yards. And BYU made 22 first downs to Utah's 18.

So we may well ask, what in Pogo's ever-lovin' blue-eyed world made all the difference then. Well, certainly Utah had the most horses. Men like Melé and Nakken and Dungan would look good anywhere and we were outgunned in manpower.

But that wasn't the basic difference. The Cougars rose to the occasion to almost erase that deficit. The difference seems to be first, last, and foremost that the BYU squad forgot all the essentials of the game that they learned the first thing in high school. And they forgot them at the most inopportune moments.

Take ball-carrying. Any coach will tell any ball player that if you carry a football like a loaf of bread, you're going to fumble. And they, the Cougars, did. Utah recovered three of our fumbles and used them most royally to hit pay-dirt.

### Puny Tackling

And the Cougars tackling in the second half was some of the puniest we have ever seen. When a runner bounced off three or four players and then goes on, something is drastically wrong. The Cougars tried to knock the Ute runners down with a shoulder block, or veritate then down with a neck tackle, neither of which works with any consistency. That one where two Cougars hit head on while the Utah man ducked under their intended neck tackle was a classic.

There is little to be said for our pass defense. It simply wasn't. And the line, which could have gotten to the seat of the trouble by really racking the quarterback when they got a legal chance, forgot that quarterbacks lose their yen for passes when they have been slammed breathless a few times.

On the other side, BYU looked good at times. If inconsistent. Skousen looked back in his old form, when he led the conference in pass receiving a couple of years back before he went to the service. And Gary LaComb ran with the most deception and set up his blocks better than any back we've seen at BYU.

Now, what to do about all our blunders? There's only one answer—lots of blood on the practice field this week.

### Fight Song Progress

We're glad that some progress is finally being made toward getting BYU a fight song. A step has been made in the right direction with the new song introduced last week. Unfortunately, it hasn't stopped far enough. For the life of us, we can't sing, "Hill you Cougars, Fight with all ferocity," with a straight face. It rhymes too much with precocity.

That song reminds one of the parody of the Yale fight song that came out a couple years back. Something like, "Fight fiercely, boys, hit them hard, but DON'T HURT THEM!" Notice the similarity?

We should at least come out with something as peppy as "Boola Boola" or "A Utah Man am I," something that posterity will sing just for the heck of it.



DOWN WE GO—Carroll Johnston (10), BYU quarterback, is brought to the turf by three burly Utah tacklers in Saturday night's 41-9 loss to the Redskins. Cougars are idle this weekend.

### Kittens Schedule Blue-White Game

Brigham Young's freshman gridlers will be unveiled before the studentbody in a Blue-White inter-squad scrimmage this afternoon at the Stadium. Game time is 3 p.m.

The large group of recruits numbers at 60, but yearling coach Dave Crowton expects to cut the squad to 35 men, which would make a more workable club. Although the big frosh eleven

### Spur Openhouse

Spurs are holding openhouse, Oct. 13, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the Joseph Smith Banquet Hall.

All freshman girls who are interested in Spurs are urged to attend, according to Spur president, Joyce Stephenson. Spurs is an honorary service organization for sophomore women. Freshmen must apply during spring quarter of their freshman year.

Openhouse will include a program and refreshments. Members of Spurs will present a Spur song for the guests. Chairman of the event is Jean McCune.

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